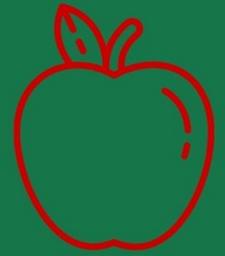


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4-H NEWSLETTER

Official Newsletter for 4-H members in Bremer County



Bremer Vibrant 4-H'ers

2020-2021 Enrollment 4-H SPOTLIGHT

October 6, 2020

A new year brings new members! Recruitment for 4-H can begin at any time. If you know of a family that has shown interest in joining 4-H, ask them to come to a club meeting and find out more! Or send them our way for more information on enrollment. If you are a new family, please contact the Extension Office or Cody Emery at cbemery@iastate.edu.

We will be using the newly updated 4HOnline 2.0 system for re-enrollment into the Bremer County 4-H program 2020-2021 year!

More information on how to register can be found here:

<https://tinyurl.com/y4odlzq>

You will use the same family login and password as in the past. Please bookmark this new page!

If you need assistance with the process, a computer, or internet access, please call or stop by the Extension Office.

Pick-a-project: <https://www.extension.iastate.edu/4h/projects-list>.

Explore a new project area!



<https://v2.4honline.com/>

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CYC Report

BY CODY EMERY

Wow, we are excited to kick off our new 4-H year! We are so excited for each of you to start your journey through 4H! You will find opportunities endless, friendships bountiful, and memories endless. We hope that you find your passions and discover once you didn't know you had. While a long hard journey, if you come across the road block, at any time, please ask questions. Your 4-H family is here to help and guide you!

Now it is a good time to start thinking about your goals, for your club your community your country or your world, thinking about the projects area you plan to explore or become more invested in. To help deep in your experience, you may have to think about how to broaden your horizons, you may want to get involved in for each activities at a regional or state level, you may want to join a project club, or even run for an officer election! With 4H the sky is The limit and it's your adventure to create!

As we roll right into October, we have a busy and exciting month ahead. We will be celebrating everything for H during national for each week October 4-10! Tuesday, October 6 is Give. Grow. Iowa 4-H. Wednesday is our walk for Healthiest State Initiative in Kohlmann park in Waverly. And our scavenger hunt with our friends that will be introduced Tuesday, October 6 watches on Bremer CYC Facebook page for more details!

Enrollment starts now with 4H Online 2.0. So, if you have a friend who is interested in joining for each now is the time to invite them to your club and get them involved!



Bremer Cyc

Bremer Cyc is on Facebook. Join Facebook to connect with Bremer Cyc and others you may know. Facebook gives people the pow...

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Like us on Facebook to see Bi-weekly video reports/ updates! (click the icon)



Follows us on Instagram for updated flyers (click the icon)



Check you Emails regularly if your email has changed please change it in 4-H Online

We Want You!



Bremer County is strengthening and delivering youth development. One half-time AmeriCorps positions is needed. Service will begin after a new member orientation and conclude on July 31, 2021.



Attention

Please continue to track attendance for your club meetings and activities. While we are in transition into 4-HOnline 2.0, records MUST be kept and submitted into CYbox or into the office until enrollment is closed. This is a risk management requirement and our members and yourselves will be covered under our insurance.

Thank you.

Remember to turn in your Annual reports ASAP (no later than Dec. 31)
Club Calendar, Compliance, Club Financial Budget,
Premium checks signed and Charter (only if primary leader has changed)

If you are interested in holding a virtual meeting and need assistance, please reach out to Cody Emery, cbemery@iastate.edu. Please arrange meetings no later than 4 business days out.

If you are having trouble with meeting at your normal location due to their Covid-19 restrictions. The Bremer County Fair Board will allow you to use the Blue/4-H building! All they ask is to have a week's notice. If this is an option you need for the winter months please contact Cody and he will arrange/ schedule your meeting with the appropriate fair board member.

THANK YOU for attending our Annual Leaders meeting and Training on September 24th! We hope you took the time to fill out the survey that was sent out afterwards. Now, let's set up our time to create your club's action plan! Send Cody 3 dates that would work for you and your leader team to meet up.

Club Impacts: Is your club going above and beyond your 4H equation? Have your Club Secretary turn in a 5 sentence impact to Cody Emery and we will share out to our social media and into the State office which could be shared out again from there!

Resources:

Regulations and Guidance ([click here](#)): 2020 Best Practices, Club Chartering Documents, Club Management, Code of Conduct and much more.

Volunteer Resources ([click here](#)): Leader Resources, 4-H Club Management, Clover Kids Resources and more.

Opportunity for All ([click here](#)): Click and watch the video to the left, it is lengthy 60 mins.

Volunteer Management ([click here](#)): Trainer Resources, New Volunteer Notebook, Club Planning Worksheets, Volunteer Participation Policies and more.





4-H Online 2.0 Family Enrollment Guide

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Creating a New 4-H Online Account

1. Go to <http://v2.4honline.com>.
2. If you had an account in 4-H Online 1.0, enter the login information for your existing account and skip to [Member Enrollment](#). If you've never had an account in 4-H Online, click "Don't have an account".



3. Select your state and county from the drop-down menus.



4. Complete your family's information, then click the Create Account button.
5. Enter your family's address information, then click the Verify button.
(NOTE: You may be required to select a specific USPS format.)
6. If you create a new account and an existing account is found, click Confirm and continue to [Logging in](#) with an Existing 4-H Online Account.



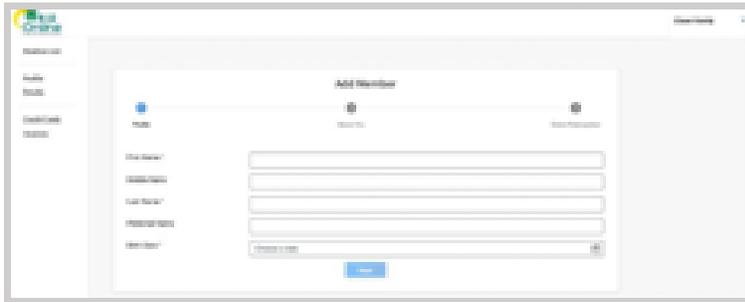
Logging in to an Existing 4-H Online Account

1. If you had an account in 4-H Online version 1.0, go to <http://v2.4honline.com>.
2. Enter your email address and password. Then, click Sign-In. If you have forgotten your password, click "Reset Password?" to receive an email with a link to set a new password.
3. Continue to Youth and Clover Kid Member Enrollment to re-enroll youth members, to Adult Enrollment to re-enroll Adult members, or to Adding New Members to add new Family Members.



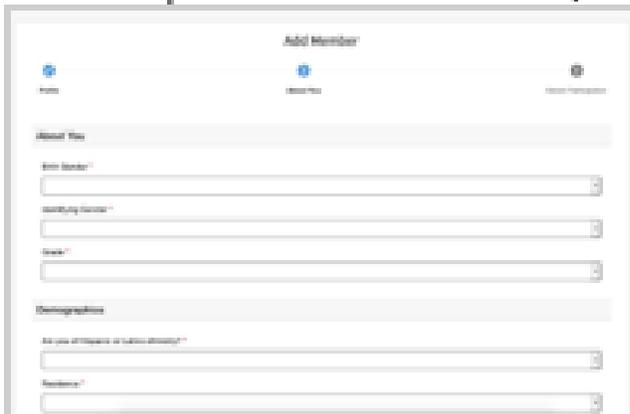
Adding a New Member to the Family

1. Enter the member's information (items in red are required), then click Next.



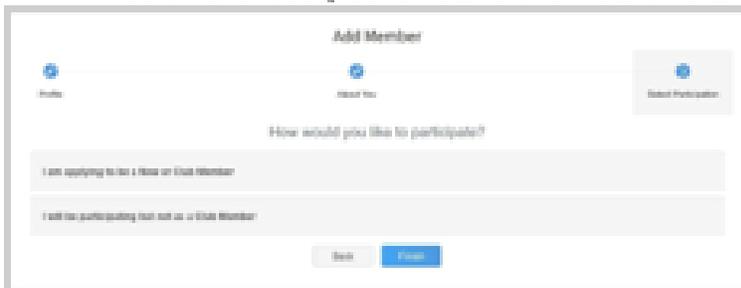
The screenshot shows the 'Add Member' form with the following fields: First Name, Last Name, Birth Date, Address, City, State, Zip, and Gender. A red asterisk is next to the Birth Date field. A 'Next' button is at the bottom.

2. Complete the "About You" form, then click Next.



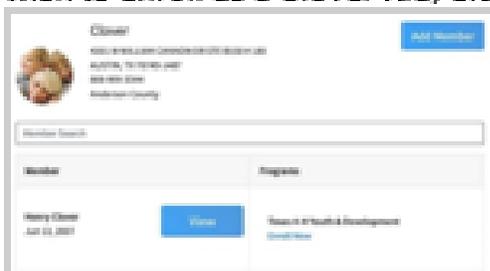
The screenshot shows the 'About You' section of the 'Add Member' form. It includes fields for: Birth Order, Membership Number, Gender, Demographics, Do you anticipate or submit a transfer?, and Reason. Red asterisks are next to Birth Order, Membership Number, Gender, and Reason. A 'Next' button is at the bottom.

3. Select your method of participation, then click Finish.
4. If you will be participating as New or Returning Club Member, continue to Youth and Clover Kids Member Enrollment. If you are participating as an Adult Volunteer, continue to the Adult Volunteer Enrollment instructions.



The screenshot shows the 'Add Member' form with the question 'How would you like to participate?'. There are two radio button options: 'I am applying to be a New or Club Member' and 'I will be participating but not as a Club Member'. A 'Next' button is at the bottom.

If you selected "participating but not as a Club Member", your record is complete, and you can register for events available to Participants (non-Members). If you wish to enroll as a Clover Kid, Club Member, or Volunteer, click "Enroll Now".

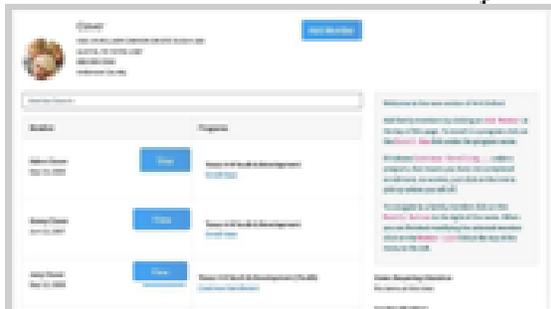


The screenshot shows the member profile page for a user named Henry Olson, born on June 23, 2007. It includes a profile picture, a search bar, and a table with columns for Member and Register. A 'Finish' button is visible.

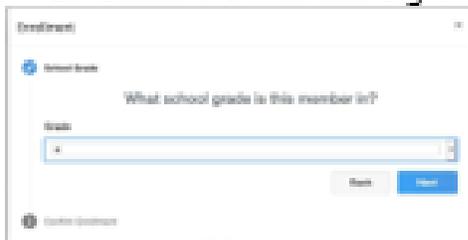


Youth and Clover Kid Member Enrollment

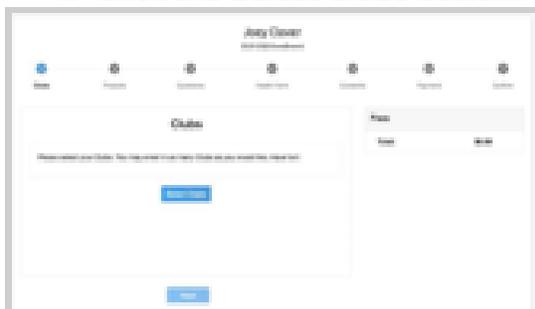
1. If you are returning to 4-H, your member record will be listed on the family Member List. Click "Enroll Now". If you are a new member and your name is not yet listed, click "Add Member" and follow the steps for "Adding a New Member to the Family".



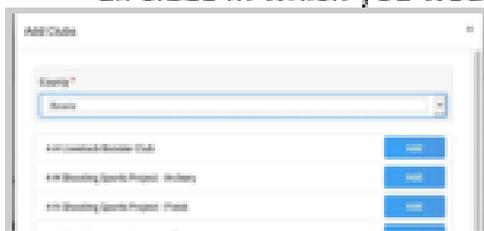
2. Select the member's grade and click Next.

A screenshot of a form titled 'Enrollment'. It has a progress indicator at the top with 'Select Club' selected. The main question is 'What school grade is this member in?'. Below this is a dropdown menu labeled 'Grade' with '4' selected. There are 'Back' and 'Next' buttons at the bottom right.

3. Select to Confirm that you would like to enroll as a Club Member.
4. Click the Select Clubs button.

A screenshot of a form titled 'Select Clubs'. It has a progress indicator at the top with 'Select Clubs' selected. Below the indicator is a list of clubs with a 'Select Clubs' button. There is also a 'Next' button at the bottom right.

5. Select the County in which your club is located.
6. Click Add next to the club you would like to join. Repeat these steps to add all clubs in which you would like to participate.

A screenshot of a form titled 'Add Clubs'. It has a progress indicator at the top with 'Add Clubs' selected. Below the indicator is a dropdown menu labeled 'County' with 'Iowa' selected. Below that is a list of clubs with 'Add' buttons. There is also a 'Next' button at the bottom right.

7. If you have enrolled in more than one club, be sure the Primary club is marked to indicate which club will serve as your Primary club.
8. Click the trash can icon to remove a club from the list.



9. Once all clubs are added, click Next at the bottom of the screen.



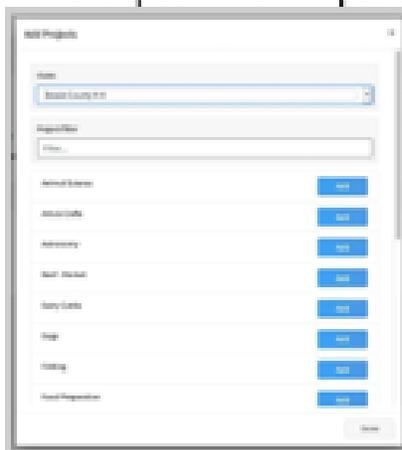
10. Click Select Projects



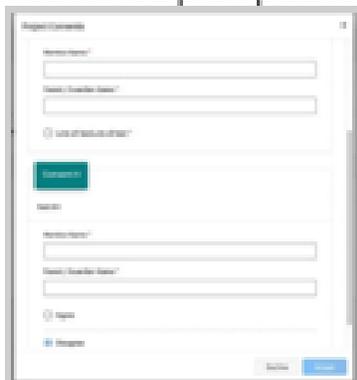
11. Select the club with which you want your project to be associated.

12. Click Add button next to the project you want to add to the member's enrollment.

13. Repeat these steps for each project in which you would like to participate.



NOTE: Some projects may have consents that are required in order to participate. You will be prompted to enter the required signatures and Accept the consents.



14. Click the trash can icon to remove any projects.
15. Click the Next button once all the member's projects have been added.



16. Click "Show Questions". Complete the enrollment questions. Some of the questions will be completed for you based on what you entered when you created your record.



NOTE: You may be required to upload pictures or documents with your enrollment. To upload, click the Upload button to select a file to upload.

17. Click the Next button at the bottom of the screen when you are finished.
18. You will be required to complete a Health Form and consents.
19. Click the Next button at the bottom of the screen when you are done.



20. Complete any Consents required.
21. Click the Next button at the bottom of the page when you are finished.



22. If no fees are due, click the Next button and skip the payment screens. If fees are due, follow the next steps.





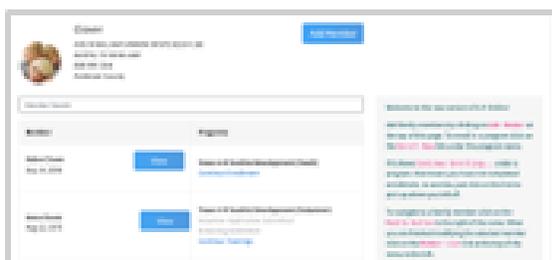
23. If applicable, review the fees for the member. *NOTE: Your county may allow offline payment options such as check/cash submitted to the County Office, Coupon Code or Waiver Request as well as online payments. Proceed per the instructions of your County office.*
24. If you wish to pay by credit card, enter your credit card information to pay any enrollment fees. Click Add Credit Card. This card will be available for you to select for additional members in your family.

25. After completing the Payment Terms, click the Next button.
26. Review the enrollment information. Once you have verified that the clubs and projects are listed correctly, click the Submit button.

Congratulations, your enrollment is complete! You will receive an email to let you know your enrollment has been submitted. You will receive another email when your County Extension office has approved your enrollment. You may view the enrollment status on the Member List. Any enrollments that have fees to be paid by credit card will process when the County Extension Office approves the enrollment. Should the transaction be declined, you will receive another email notification. It will include a link to login so that you may add another card or change your payment method, if allowed.

Continuing an Enrollment

To continue an enrollment that has been started or to complete additional volunteer enrollment steps, click on Member List. Then click the link to Continue the Enrollment or to continue a step in the Volunteer Enrollment process.



Adult Volunteer Enrollment

1. If you are returning to 4-H, your Volunteer record will be listed in the family Member List. Click "Enroll Now". If you are a new volunteer and your name is not yet listed, click "Add Member" and follow the steps for "Adding a New Member to the Family".
2. Click Select Volunteer Types to indicate your participation during the program year. At least one Volunteer Type is required during the enrollment process, and additional types can be added.



3. Select a Volunteer Type from the drop-down. Then, click Add next to your Volunteer Type Role.



NOTE: If you are a Project Leader for a specific Club, you will need to select a Club Volunteer Type and a Project Volunteer Type.

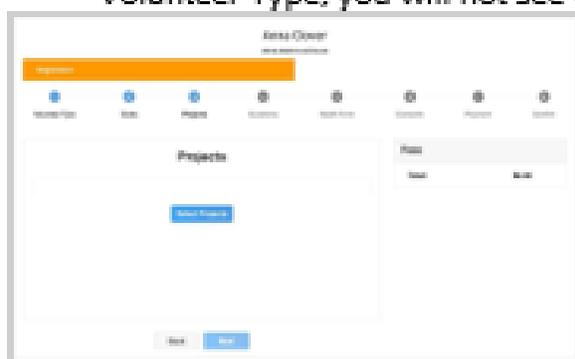
4. Some Volunteer Types require additional Consent forms. If additional forms are required, you will be prompted to sign the Consent before the Volunteer Type will be added to your record.
5. Repeat these steps for each Volunteer Type you choose to participate in.
6. Click the small trash can icon to remove any Volunteer Types.
7. Click Next.
8. If you selected a Club Volunteer Type, click "Select Clubs" to choose the clubs with which you would like to Volunteer. (If you didn't select a Club Volunteer Type, you won't see this screen.)



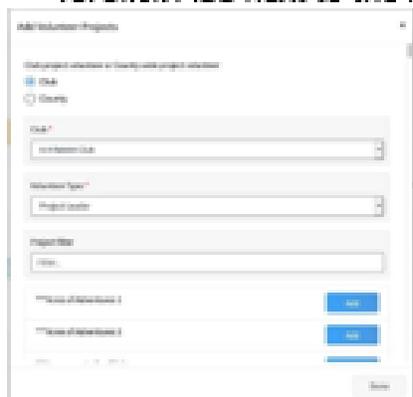
9. Select the County, Club, and Volunteer Type that corresponds with the desired Club. Click Add. Repeat these steps for each Club in which you would like to participate.



10. If you selected to participate as a Project Leader, you will be prompted to select a Project. Click Select Projects. (If you did not select a Project Volunteer Type, you will not see this screen.)



11. Select Club if you are a Project Leader for a specific club, then select the club. Select the Project Volunteer Type best describing your involvement.
12. If you are a Project Volunteer for the entire County, select County.
13. Click Add next to the Project that you will be working with.



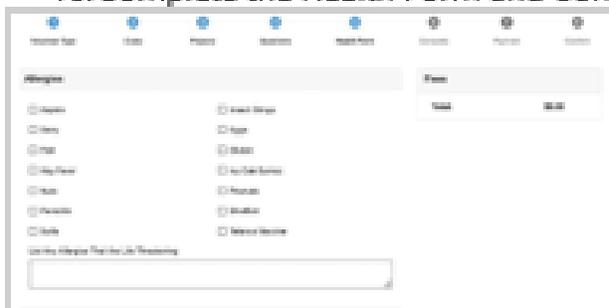
14. Some projects require additional Consents in order to participate. If this is needed, you will be prompted to enter your signature and acceptance before it will be added to your record.



15. Click Show Questions and complete the Questions section. Red items are required. When finished, click the Next button.

NOTE: If you are required to upload documents with your enrollment, click the Upload button to select a file to upload.

16. Complete the Health Form and Consent, then click Next.



17. Complete the required Consents, then click Next.

18. If payment is necessary, enter the payment method and move through the remaining steps in the payment process. If payment is not necessary, click the Next button.

19. Click Submit.



NOTE: As an Adult Volunteer, you may be required to complete additional information for screenings and trainings. Click Confirm to continue any additional steps.

Volunteer Screening

Counties conduct volunteer screening as a separate process. Please talk with your County Extension Staff to move forward with this process.

Volunteer Training

Some volunteer training is available through 4-H Online. If so, you may see a Training Tab. To select a lesson, click the Title of the training. Then, click on the lesson title to open it and begin the training.



4-H Officers Training- UPDATE

Who: All Officers: President, Vice President, Secretary, Healthy Living leader, Treasurer, Recreation Leader, Historian, Reporter, Photographer, and Social Media leaders

What: A Fun afternoon to; learn about your 4-H officer duties, how to run and participate in meetings, sharpen your leadership skills, help create a vibrant successful club , and make new friends from acrossed the county.

Where: Bremer County Extension Office

Time: Saturday **NOVEMBER**, 14th 10:00 - 12:00 (noon) PM

RSVP: <https://forms.gle/41TzY93Lak9uZbqB9>.(Click on the link)
by November, 11th @ 4:00 PM.

Clover Scavenger Hunt

Check out: BREMER CYC Facebook page and be the first member to find ALL 5 clovers/locations to win a grand prize!

STEAM FEST

Please sign up to help promote, recruit, and educate youth within our community about; Science, Technology, Engineering, Art and Mathematics. At our First Annual STEAM fest! Cody will be promoting our 4-H Stem-Lit to go kits that are available to all clubs and members to use. along with your school teachers, FOR FREE! With our Best Practices as a guideline, we will only be able to demonstrate what we can do.

Where: Blue/4-H Building

When: Saturday, November 7th 8:00 am- 12:00 pm

Youth Special Interest Survey

Please take a few minutes to take this survey with your youth members to help determine workshops that we could focus on in Bremer County! <https://forms.gle/QJUu5NsQZHhLsQuU6>

October's Focus for Clubs

You will notice in our Events Calendar that there are focuses of the months. featuring one of our four H's: Head, Hands, Heart and Health. with a skill set that we would like you and your club(s) to develop.

In October we are going to use our HEART's to develop "Sharing"- projects and experiences should help youth to create relationships with others. Some of the skills youth can learn when setting goals include:

- Working together
- Sharing material things, thoughts, ideas, and feelings
- Showing Kindness
- participating together on a task at the same time

Discuss in the club setting what sharing means to the members & leaders. Have the group give examples

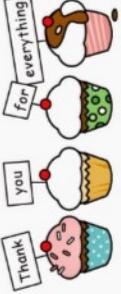


Bremers County National 4-H Week Challenges

Join us in celebrating Nation 4-H Week! Here's how:

- 1) Complete each daily challenge below
- 2) Take a photo to document your completion of each challenge
- 3) Submit your photos to be entered in our prize drawing (one entry for each challenge completed). To submit, post your photos to social media and tag @IowaStateExtensionOutreachBremersCounty OR email your photos to cbemery@iastate.edu with subject 4-H Challenge!
- 4) Check our Facebook page on October 15 to see winners!



Monday, Oct. 5	Tuesday, Oct. 6	Wednesday, Oct. 7	Thursday, Oct. 8	Friday, Oct. 9
<p>Show your support for 4-H by posting a sign on your locker or door.</p> <p>Bonus points for getting a teacher to post one on their door.</p> <p>Download your sign on our Website!</p> 	<p>Make a "Join 4-H Poster" and hang it!</p> <p>Then, share the image with us.</p> <p>4-H PLEDGE</p> <p>I pledge my HEAD to clearer thinking, my HEART to greater loyalty, my HANDS to larger service, and my HEALTH to better living, for my club, my community, my country, and my world.</p> 	<p>Wear the  with pride!</p> <p>Make sure you get a photo with your other 4-H friends.</p> <p>Giving Day!</p>	<p>Post a photo on social media of your favorite 4-H memory.</p>  <p>Don't forget to tag @IowaStateExtensionOutreachBremersCounty or email it to cbemery@iastate.edu</p>	<p>Bring treats for your teachers thanking them for supporting your education.</p> <p>OR</p> <p>Send a thank you to a 4-H leader or volunteer who has helped you.</p> 

Have a fantastic National 4-H Week!



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Extension and Outreach

www.extension.iastate.edu/bremers/4h
319-882-4275

2020-2021 Bremer 4-H Event Calendar

July 2021							January 2021						
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July - Fair		HANDS- Self-Motivation	
1	YQCA & Fair Entries (County and State) DUE & PAID!	1	YQCA & Fair Entries (County and State)
TBD	Poultry Testing - Extension Office!	15	Communications Day
23	Walk through (leaders, Superintendents, YAC)	25	Clothing & Fashion Judging and Review!
24-1	Bremer County Fair!		
August- State Fair		HEALTH- Healthy Choices	
6	State Fair Write-up Due and delivered to Office	6	State Fair Write-up Due and delivered to Office
12-22	2021 Iowa State Fair		
September		HEAD- Goal Setting	
7	Labor Day	13	Record Book Workshop
15	Record books due to Leaders	24	Annual Leaders Training (ONE leader/ club)
26	TBD-Club Officer Training/Workshop	28	BCFA Meeting (4-H building) @ 7:30 pm
October		HEART- Sharing	
2	Record books due to Office	2	Record books due to Office
4-10	National 4-H Week!	12	Youth Committee Meeting
18	(YCC) Youth County Council Meeting	26	BCFA Meeting (4-H building) @ 7:30 pm
November		HANDS- Responsible Citizenship	
1	Daylight Saving & Awards Night- TBD	7	STEM FEST!
8	National STEM Day!	9	Youth Committee Meeting
15	(YCC) Youth County Council Meeting	23	BCFA Meeting (Extension office) @ 7:00 pm
26	Thanksgiving - Office Closed		
December		HEALTH- Character	
3	4-H Leaders meeting	10	YCC- Christmas on Main
14	Youth Committee Meeting	19	Beef Weigh-in - Waverly Sale Barn (snow date 20)
25	Christmas Day - Office Closed	31	Re-enrollment, Club compliance and Calendars DUE!
TBD	Winter Workshops		

January		HEAD- Learning to Learn	
1	New Year's Day- Office Closed	11	Youth Committee Meeting
17	(YCC) Youth County Council Meeting	18	Martin Luther King Jr. Day
23	Repurpose- Redesign Workshop!	25	BCFA Meeting (Extension office) @ 7:00 pm
February		HEART- Accepting Differences	
15	Youth Committee Meeting	11 or 18	4-H Legislative Day (members grades 8-12)
14	(YCC) Youth County Council Meeting	22	BCFA Meeting (Extension office) @ 7:00 pm
27	Oh, the places you'll go - Clover Kids Style!		
March		HANDS- Teamwork	
4	Leaders Meeting	14	Daylight Saving & 4-H Omelette Brunch!
15	Share-A-Pig Forms DUE!	21	(YCC) Youth County Council Meeting
22	BCFA Meeting (Extension office) @ 7:00 pm		
April		HEALTH- Stress Management	
3	Swine Weigh-in!	15	Show-A-Dog & Share-A-Sheep Forms DUE!
17	YQCA- Livestock Palooza!	19	Youth Committee Meeting
26	BCFA Meeting (Extension office) @ 7:00 pm	30	Rabbit Workshop
May		HEAD- Planning/ Organizing	
6	AG Safety Day	7	Sheep Weigh-in (Fairgrounds- Dairy Barn)
15	4-H Online- Animal ID's DUE!	17	Youth Committee Meeting
23	(YCC) Youth County Council Meeting	24	BCFA Meeting (4-H building) @ 7:30 pm
31	Memorial Day		
June		HEART- Social Skills	
17	Pre- Fair Meeting (Leaders, Superintendent, YAC)	20	(YCC) Youth County Council Meeting
28	BCFA Meeting (4-H building) @ 7:30 pm	29-1	Iowa 4-H Youth Conference 2021 (ISU-Ames)

Guidance from the CDC in regards to Covid-19 is ever changing. Bremer County Extension is expected to follow their guidelines and may have to adjust our practices accordingly. We thank you for your patience and understanding should changes need to be made. Updated 09/03/2020

October Clover Kid Challenge!

Learn the 4-H Pledge with hand motions!

I Pledge:



My Heart to
Greater Loyalty

(Right hand
over heart)

My Head to
Clearer Thinking



(Right hand points
to forehead)



and My Health to
Better Living,

(Arms at sides)

My Hands to
Larger Service



(Arms slightly bent,
palms up)

For My Club, My Community, My County, and My World.



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